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MUST PAY ALL CLAIMS

President Castro Given Forty-Eight Hours in Which to Yield.

BRITISH SEND ANOTHER "ULTIMATUM"

Venezuelan Gunboat Seized In Addition to the Squadron Captured by the English and German Fleets—Late Developments.

Caracas, Dec. 10.—It is said on good authority that the captain of the British cruiser *Retribution* sent a special courier from LaGuayra to Caracas, with an ultimatum for compliance with the note deposited Tuesday by the British and German ministers at the home of the foreign minister before their departure from Caracas. It is said the ultimatum gives a maximum of 48 hours in which Venezuela is to accede. The note, it is said, requests the immediate cash payment of \$34,000 each to Great Britain and Germany for the settlement of claims arising from past revolutions by a mixed tribunal. It is also said that



PRESIDENT CIPRIANO CASTRO OF VENEZUELA.

the British minister at the last moment failed to present claims except for \$40,000, but his claim is not supported by legal documents and facts and is considered absurd. It is understood here that United States Minister Bowen has assumed charge of British and German interests.

The combined German and British fleet seized towns outside the harbor of La Guayra, all the vessels which were then there. These were the warships General Crespo, Totumo, Ossum and Margarita. Totumships were manned by 390 men. The news of the capture of the warships is not generally known in the capital. Great excitement will undoubtedly prevail when it is announced.

VENEZUELAN SITUATION Explained In the House of Commons. Arrest of British Subjects.

London, Dec. 10.—In the house of commons, Under Foreign Secretary Cranborne said the government had no official information as to the seizure by the Venezuelans of 200 British and German subjects or of the seizure of the Venezuelan warships by the fleets of Great Britain and Germany. Lord Cranborne added that the British claims, which necessitated coercion, would be fully disclosed by papers to be laid before the house. They included a demand for compensation for interference with trading vessels, the imprisonment and ill treatment of British subjects, and the destruction of property. The under secretary asserted that the government would follow precedent in the enforcement of analogous claims. Replying to Mr. Bryce, Liberal, Lord Cranborne said the British minister at Caracas had been instructed to wait 24 hours after the presentation of ultimatums; failing a reply to proceed to Laguira, where he was to wait another 24 hours on board a British ship. Unless in the meantime a concession had been received, it was necessary for his majesty's government to take forcible action.

The attitude of the foreign office here is one of relief, the arrest of the British subjects, it is held, indicating provision against ill-treatment and consequent further complications.

CRITICAL

Washington Regards the Situation. Blockade of La Guayra.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The state department has been advised that a "peaceful blockade" exists at Laguira, which is the port of Caracas, the capital of Venezuela. The difference between this state and a state of war is not very marked, except in the opportunity afforded by the peaceful blockade to effect a settlement without recourse to actual bloodshed. The situ-

ation is here regarded as critical. Minister Bowen, at Caracas, has accepted the trust placed upon him to look after the interests of the British and German citizens in Venezuela, and this has brought him into conflict with President Castro. He has informed the state department that a number of these citizens were arrested in Caracas. Mr. Bowen at once addressed himself to President Castro to secure their release. He represented that he had been charged with the care of British and German subjects in Venezuela, but President Castro was unwilling at first to recognize his authority. Finally, the minister convinced him that he was acting within his rights and President Castro consented with reluctance to release the principal prisoners. Mr. Bowen will insist upon the release of the remainder.

It is now expected that the next step will be the announcement of a formal blockade of Caracas by the British and German warships. It is believed here that this will not stop the entry into the port of American ships, but that if they land their cargoes, the British and Germans will insist upon collecting the regular Venezuelan rate of customs dues upon them. Of course, this will involve the seizure of the custom house, and in turn it is expected that President Castro, unless he concludes to abandon further resistance, will issue a decree closing the port to entries and will insist upon collecting duties anew upon the same goods if they are passed into the interior of the country beyond Laguira.

Minister Bowen In Charge.

Caracas, Venezuela, Dec. 10.—United States Minister Bowen has taken charge of the interests of Great Britain and Germany, in Venezuela. This has been done at the joint request of the British and German ministers who withdrew from Venezuela after presenting the ultimatums. In an interview President Castro said: "The Venezuelan government has not received any ultimatum, properly speaking, but rather simultaneous requests from Great Britain and Germany. The claims Great Britain asks this government to settle are small and up to the present time we have not been aware of them. The Venezuelan government can not decide on foreign claims before the revolution has been entirely crushed."

French Take Action.

Paris, Dec. 10.—Owing to the gravity of the situation in Venezuela, the foreign office has directed that Weiner, the newly appointed French minister to Venezuela, to start immediately for Caracas without waiting for the arrival here of the Venezuelan minister general Velutini, as at first intended. The foreign office has also selected Count de Rocco as the French representative in the arbitration at Venezuela and has ordered him to proceed to Caracas immediately with M. Weiner. The arbitration covers the losses sustained by French citizens whose houses were burned and whose plantations were destroyed during the revolution.

German Office Not Informed.

Berlin, Dec. 10.—The foreign office here has not received anything from Laguira since Monday evening when Charge d'affaires Von Pilgrim-Baltazzi cabled that he had gone on board the *Vineta*. The officials here have no confirmation of the announced arrest of all the British and German subjects at Caracas and are therefore disposed to discredit the statement. They say that possibly a few Germans and Englishmen have been arrested under some pretext by President Castro, but the foreign office authorities consider it extremely doubtful that he would permit the arrest of all the Germans and Britons at Caracas.

Another Vessel Seized.

London, Dec. 10.—The admiralty has received information of the seizure of the Venezuelan gunboat *Bolívar* at Port of Spain, Island of Trinidad.

FIRST CASE ON RECORD.

Trades Union Asks For an Injunction Against a Corporation.

Vineland, N. J., Dec. 10.—The Minotola glass strike, after many months, has resulted in labor's unprecedented application for an injunction against a corporation, the hearing of argument on which, before Vice Chancellor Gray, at Camden, will, because of its vital and general importance to capital and labor, attract the attention of every large employer and labor organization in the country. The union has set up in the courts the right to combine, to assist strikers, and asks the court for protection against the Jonas Glass company, which, it alleges, not only interferes with its legal right to persuade, but by force of arms, intimidation, threats, beats and attempts to drive the officers and members of the glass union from Minotola.

IN HOUSE AND SENATE

Statehood Bill Agitates the Members of the Upper Branch.

QUAY'S SLIP CAUSES MERRIMENT.

Relations of Capital and Labor Discussed by Representative Grow—Congressional Proceedings.

Washington, Dec. 10.—When the senate convened, Mr. Quay (Pa.) submitted a number of resolutions of citizens of Oklahoma favoring the omnibus statehood bill and protesting against joint statehood with the Indian Territory. A wave of laughter swept over the chamber when the clerk read one telegram which expressed the opinion that statehood for Oklahoma would make it "hopelessly Democratic." Mr. Quay announced that he had sent it to the desk by mistake.

Mr. Quay submitted an individual report favoring the passage of the omnibus statehood bill and opposing the one-state bill of the majority committee on territories. The statehood bill then was taken up and read at length.

The house immediately after convening, went into committee of the whole for the consideration of the bill for the relief of tea importers reported by the ways and means committee and intended to meet the recent decision of the circuit court of the southern district of New York that goods imported and held in a bonded warehouse were subject to the customs duty assessable at the time of importation.

The bill to refund duties on goods brought into the United States from Porto Rico between Feb. 6, 1899 (the date of the ratification of the Paris treaty) and May 1, 1901, the date of the Porto Rican tariff act, and from the Philippines between April 11, 1899, and March 8, 1902, (the date of the Philippine revenue act) was passed.

The house then went back into committee of the whole and entered upon the consideration of the bill for the distribution of the president's message. This course was pursued to permit Mr. Grow (Pa.), the venerable ex-speaker, to make some remarks. For several years it has been Mr. Grow's custom to take this opportunity to make a speech on the state of the union. On this occasion he discussed principally the relations of labor and capital in the United States.

Upon motion of Mr. Hepburn (Ia.) the bill to prevent the misbranding and adulteration of food in the District of Columbia and the territories (the pure food bill) was made a special continuing order until it shall be disposed of, the order not to interfere with appropriations bills. Several minor bills were passed by unanimous consent.

The London dock charge bill was killed after extended debate, the house striking off the enacting clause.

Progress In Porto Rico.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The report of Governor Hunt of Porto Rico, dated July 10, 1902, just made public, is the second one presented since the inauguration of civil government. It advises the president of healthy progress and steady advancement throughout the island, in all substantial respects. It states that there has been progress in comprehension of the institutions of the United States; that the administration in municipal affairs has improved; that education is spreading its good influences; that more land has been cultivated; exports and imports increased; new roads have been built; the telegraph system has extended; the health of the people is better and the death rate has decreased. Sugar is regarded as the principal crop of the island.

Taft and Supreme Judgeship.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The prospective retirement of Justice Shiras from the supreme court, which was announced by his son some time ago, would take place at no very distant date, it is believed here may result in the promotion to the supreme bench of Judge William H. Taft of Cincinnati, the chairman of the Philippines commission. Governor Taft's elevation to that court would be the fulfillment of the general understanding that he ultimately would be appointed to that court, which existed at the time he resigned from the federal circuit court bench in Ohio and took up his present duties at the request of President McKinley.

Washington, Dec. 10.—George Sawyer, consul at Antigua, B. W. I., has been appointed to succeed the late Thomas Nast as consul general at Guayaquil, Ecuador.

IMPORTANT RULING.

Court of Appeals Renders a Decision Affecting Damage Suits Against Railroads and Other Corporations.

The decision of the Court of Appeals, mentioned briefly Wednesday, is of great importance to foreign railroad corporations doing business in this State. Section 211 of the Kentucky Constitution, says: "No railroad corporation organized under the laws of any other State or of the United States and doing business or proposing to do business in this State shall be entitled to the benefit of the right of eminent domain or have the power to acquire the right of way or real estate for depot or other uses until it shall have become a body corporate pursuant to and in accordance with the laws of this Commonwealth."

Section 841, Kentucky Statutes, provides the manner in which such railroads may become a domestic corporation or citizen. The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad is operating a railroad in this State, but when the administrator of Henrietta Davis of Lewis County sued for damages for her death, alleged to be due to the negligence of the railroad, the company moved to transfer the case to the United States Court because the company is a foreign corporation. The motion was sustained and plaintiff appealed.

The Court of Appeals, with Judges O'Rear, Burnam and Du Relle dissenting, holds that, as the C. and O. Company complied with Section 841 and became a corporation of this State and citizen resident herein, and being such and sued on a cause of action presenting no Federal question, is not entitled to a removal to the United States Circuit Court.

The suit named above was brought by Cole & Son, of this city. The same point was raised by them in the Swice case, reversed this week by the Appellate Court.

REVOLUTIONARY SOLDIERS.

Attorney Charles W. Forman, of New Orleans Writes of Three of His Ancestors.

Mr. Charles W. Forman, of New Orleans, has just had issued from the press of that city a very interesting booklet entitled "Three Revolutionary Soldiers." General David Forman, Lieutenant Colonel Jonathan Forman and General Thomas Marsh Forman are the three patriots of whom he treats, ancestors of the Formans of this country.

General David Forman was the intimate friend of Washington who reposed great trust in him on account of his ability and integrity. He afterwards went to Natchez, Miss., taking with him a large number of slaves from his home in New Jersey to work his plantations. A very appreciative view of the character of General Forman is given in Mrs. Richard Stockton's verses, Mrs. S— being the wife of one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence, and one of the most interesting and attractive women of the Revolutionary period.

These men were cotemporary with the celebrated William Tennent, of New Jersey, and their parents were members of his congregation.

General T. M. Forman was also in the war of 1812, and was living as late as 1845 in which year he died.

Colonel Jonathan Forman died in 1809, having intermarried with the Seymours of New York, of which the late Governor Horatio Seymour of that State was descended.

CANNOT TREAT.

Illegal to Give a Drink—Minnesota Court Decides That One Must First Have a Liquor License.

St. Paul, Dec. 5.—A man who gives a drink to a friend is violating the law unless he has a license. This is the substance of a decision rendered by the State Supreme Court to-day in the case of the State in the matter of Harry Krebs, relator, against Frank Jones, village Marshal of Perham, Minn.

Krebs, as agent of a St. Paul liquor firm, gave a prospective customer in the village several sample drinks of liquor. He was arrested because he had no liquor license and bound over in \$200 bail to the next grand jury. He brought habeas corpus proceedings in the Supreme Court to get out of jail, as he could not get bail. The Supreme Court, however, decides that Krebs must remain in jail.

POYNTEZ Bros. are the only Maysville distillers selling pure liquors by the quart, gallon or barrel, direct from distillery to consumer. Seven-year-old whisky \$2 per gallon. Age and quality guaranteed. Get the best. Office 126 Market street—Watson's old stand.

AVER DISCRIMINATION

The United Mine Workers' Complaint Against the Coal Operators.

OFFER EVIDENCE TO THIS EFFECT.

Alleged Attempt to Break the Recent Strike by Bribery Told on the Witness Stand—Other Testimony Offered.

Scranton, Pa., Dec. 10.—The first business to come before the strike commission was the presentation by Simon P. Wolverton, of a part of the statement of the Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron company showing the averages paid to contract miners and inside and outside laborers. A further statement will be made later. The statement is not yet officially on file, but was presented so that the commission could determine whether the figures prepared are in the shape they wish them.

The first witness was Alexander McVicker, a Delaware and Hudson miner, who told the same story that others have told to the effect that he was not given back his old place, but was placed at work in a more undesirable part of the colliery. On cross-examination he denied that the miners boycotted certain breasts or chambers by marking a half moon on the place, thus notifying other workers of the boycott. The miners, through Mr. Darrow, announced at this point that they are prepared to pile up cumulative evidence on their claim that union men are being discriminated against, but they did not wish to take up the time of the commission.

G. W. Philips, city superintendent of the public schools of Scranton was next called. He showed that children of mine workers leave the schools earlier than the children of parents engaged in other occupations. He concluded by saying that the conditions, so far as the children attending school is concerned, is better in Scranton than in other parts of the anthracite fields.

John Archibald of Hazleton, 65 years old, testified that he had worked in and about the mines 55 years. He was the next witness. He said that some of the miners employed in the Lehigh Valley mines where he works, are receiving only a dollar a day.

Attempt at Bribery Alleged.

An attempt to break the miners' strike by bribery was told on the witness stand by John Early, a check weighman employed at the Gypsy Grove colliery of the Erie company, who was the president of the Gypsy Grove local union. He said he was introduced to a former mine foreman named Michael Grimes in the Lackawanna valley hotel in Scranton. Early and another miner named O'Hara, also the president of a local union, were each offered \$2,500 to get 10 men to pass a resolution sending the men from the two locals back to work.

Mrs. Kate Burns of Jeddoh told a story of how she and her two boys worked 13 years to pay off an accumulated house rent and coal bill to the Markle company. Mrs. Burns testified that her husband was killed underground, leaving her with four children, the oldest of whom was a boy of eight years. The company never offered her a penny, but the employees gave her about \$130 to defray the funeral expenses. She took in washing and scrubbed. During six years she said she kept her children at school, and as soon as the eldest child was 14 years she sent him to the mines to help earn the daily bread. At the end of the first month the lad brought home his wage statement, showing that the mother owed \$396 for back rent. The boy's wages for the month had been taken off the bill, and he came home empty-handed. She submitted to this and in the course of time her next boy was old enough to help earn a living, and he too was sent to the colliery. Like the older brother, the second boy received no pay. When she added that the money she earned for cleaning the Markle office was never given her, but kept by the company for rent, the commissioners looked at one another in surprise. She said it took three of them 13 years to make up the debt.

Postmasters Nominated.

Washington, Dec. 10.—The president sent the following nominations to the senate: Postmasters: Ohio—Richard King, Chardon; Uriah J. Favorite, Tippecanoe City, Kentucky; William M. Catron, Somerset.

Schooner Wrecked.

Atlantic City, N. J., Dec. 10.—The two-masted schooner A. L. Lee, Havrestraw, N. Y., for Atlantic City, was wrecked off this city. The crew were rescued by the local life savers.

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ROSSER & McCARTHY,
Proprietors.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1902

THE WEATHER RECORD.

[For the 24 hours ending at 6:30 a. m.]
State of weather.....Cloudy
Highest temperature.....48
Lowest temperature.....47
Mean temperature.....47.5
Wind direction.....Southerly
Precipitation (inches) rain.....1.17
Previously reported for December.....1.18
Total for December to date.....1.35
Dec. 11th, 9:51 a. m.—Rain and colder to-night. Friday fair; colder.

I BELIEVE that monopolies, unjust discriminations, which prevent or cripple competition, fraudulent overcapitalization, and other evils in trust organizations and practices which injuriously affect interstate trade can be prevented under the power of the Congress to "regulate commerce with foreign nations and among the several States" through regulations and requirements operating directly upon such commerce, the instrumentalities thereof, and those engaged therein.—President Roosevelt's message.

Mr. Roosevelt's party is in full control of the legislative and executive departments of the government. They will never have a better opportunity to go after the trusts.

THE simple and exact statement of facts made in our columns yesterday in regard to the "smallpox" situation in this city is fully confirmed by the County Physician, Dr. Shackleford, whose long experience as a health officer gives weight to his opinions as an "expert." He knew smallpox in its original shape, and is in every way qualified to handle the modern variety, although there is as much difference in the two as between a tiger and a tame cat.

Vaccination is always indispensable, and has precisely the same results now as then. As to the value of isolation (even in the same house) the recent experience of the city of Cleveland speaks volumes. Taken together, vaccination and isolation form an unequalled combination for "stamping out" variolous disease. It has been applied in this instance with the happiest effect.

OF COURSE, the Ledger will not dare to say that the editor of the BULLETIN isn't a far better lawyer than Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge of the Lexington Herald; but as Br'er Marsh has seen fit to render a jug-handled opinion on the action of the "Republican" Court of Appeals in granting Caleb Powers a new trial, it is worth while to know what a solidly "Democratic" Court of Appeals has decided on several like occasions.—Public Ledger.

The Ledger published Col. Breckinridge's article, but we fail to find in it anywhere that a Democratic Court of Appeals ever granted anyone a new trial on the ground that the trial Judge refused to vacate because he was of the opposite political faith to that of the person on trial. Of course new trials have been granted because the trial Judge refused to vacate the bench, but it remained for the Republicans to inject the political question into judicial proceedings. Col. Breckinridge is as far away from the point in discussion as the editor of the Ledger is.

SLUMP IN VALUES.

From Sept. 8th to Nov. 12th, fifty-six railroads and eighteen industrial stocks (71 per cent. of the par value of all listed on the New York stock exchange) declined an average of 10½ per cent., or \$601,442,000. It is estimated that all of the listed stocks, with a face value of \$7,314,421,790 declined in value between \$700,000,000 and \$800,000,000.

"It would have been easy," remarks an exchange, "to account for this great shrinkage had there been a Democratic victory on Nov. 4th. It would certainly have been charged to the wicked Democrats who are bent on ruining the country, and whose coming victory cast its shadow in advance. Thousands of editors would have jumped at the chance to blame the party of adversity. They are now at a loss to account for this great slump. Not only will the Republicans have the next House by a safe majority, but big crops, and the settlement of the coal and other great strikes assure us peace and prosperity for some time to come. What then caused the slump? As most of the shrinkage occurred after the election, it cannot possibly be charged to the Democrats. It is up to the Republican philosophers to concoct a plausible explanation for this lack of confidence in the G. O. P."

Christmas and Holiday Excursion Rates
Via C. and O.

For the above occasion the C. and O. will sell round trip tickets, Maysville to all stations, except to stations north of Orange on the Washington division, at rate of one and one third first-class fare. Tickets on sale Dec 22, 23, 24, 25, 30, 31, and January 1st with final limit of January 3rd.

Will also sell round trip tickets to points in the Central and the Southeastern Passenger Association territory at one and one-third first-class fare. For points of sale, dates and limit, see ticket agent.

See Ray's stock of Christmas goods.

The Beautiful Custom

OF REMEMBERING FRIENDS

Is doubled in joy by the countless Christmas suggestions in which this store abounds. Don't depend on our ads—they cannot mention half. Nothing but personal investigation can acquaint you with the useful gifts a little money will procure here. Everything exactly as represented, too. This store is unique in one particular, you can buy here in the dark and never fear misrepresentation.

Wrist Bags.

Walrus, seal, selected alligator and other fancy leathers in gray, tan or black with French gilt, gun metal or oxidized mountings with and without inside pocket. 25c. to \$1.50.

Postillion Belts.

Black satin, peau de soie and taffeta with two or three tabs fringed or tasseled. Made with pins or buckles. \$1.

Pocketbooks.

With card case and handkerchief pocket combined. Black and colored leathers of various kinds. 25c., \$1.25. Children's purses a specialty in various odd shapes, 10c. to 50c.

Boys' Scarfs.

Some silk, some satin, light and dark colors—four-in-hands wide and narrow, Windsor, string and bow ties. Good enough to be 50c., here only 25.

Holiday Suspenders.

Suspenders for giving. Good, serviceable, satisfactory suspenders from 25c. to \$1.25. From 50c. up they are prettily boxed. That doesn't make the suspenders better, but it certainly adds to the attractiveness of the gift.

Pillow Tops.

Oil painted. Exquisite new designs 50c. White net tops in handsome patterns 50c. Rich Oriental tops of heavy tapestry, 39c., 50c. Painted tops in artistic subjects and colors 25c. Basket Cloth for pillow tops—red, blue, yellow, white 15c. a yard. Beautiful tapestries for pillow tops, 50c., 75c., \$1, \$1.50 a yard. Large cord and two tassels for pillows, 25c. "Ideal" trimming for edging pillows, new and handsome, 25c.

Don't miss the chance to secure a \$7.50, \$8.50 or \$10 Coat for \$3.75.

D. HUNT & SON.

Every Day

My immense purchases for the winter trade are coming in. Having bought early and in large quantities for cash, I am in shape to successfully meet any and all competition. I carry in stock only the very best goods, and I can always guarantee satisfaction. I want to call special attention to my very large purchase

Fancy New Crop Open Kettle MOLASSES

These goods I bought direct from the plantation in Louisiana and have no middleman's profit to pay; therefore I am position to make specially low prices and at the same time my goods are the purest and finest goods made. I have stock of CANNED CORN, is also enormous and direct from the packers in carload lots. In these goods there have been large advances since I bought, therefore I can make prices to my trade very much below the prices now had by many of the largest jobbers. In all other goods in my line I have the largest stock and greatest variety. I handle no "cheap-john," unwholesome or poisonous goods.

NOTHING BUT THE VERY BEST!

This I claim is the secret of my success in Maysville in building up a trade of which I feel I am justly proud and which I am determined to hold at all costs. I am the very best, get the very best price. My house will continue to be the headquarters for Poultry, Game, Oysters, Cumberbines, Celery, Oranges and Fruits of all kinds. Try my Plymouth Rock Oysters in bulk and can—fresh from Baltimore every day—none better. My fine Blended Coffee and Perfection Flour are continually growing in favor. When you want the best try them. My purchases of specialties for the Holiday trade are unusually large. Extend a special invitation to people from the county to make my house their headquarters when in our city. Special prices on all goods to dealers who buy in quantities.

R. B. LOVE

The Leading Grocer

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL.

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PERSONAL.

—Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Worthington have gone to Norman, Oklahoma, to remain some time.

—Mrs. Frank Armstrong and son John are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. P. Chansior at Millersburg.

—Miss Fannie Kehoe, of Lexington, has returned home after a two weeks visit in Maysville and Carlisle.

—Hon. Wm. H. Cox and Mr. H. C. Curran attended the banquet given Tuesday evening by Cincinnati Oddfellows in honor of Grand Sire Goodwin, of the Sovereign Grand Lodge.

—Mr. E. L. Hill has been at Mt. Olivet this week, looking after a job of plastering.

—O. H. P. Thomas & Co., Nos. 120 and 122 Market street, Maysville, Ky., sell Old Time Bourbon and Maysville Club Rye, direct from the distillery, by the quart, gallon or barrel; the finest in the State; guaranteed pure and as represented as to age. THE H. E. POGUE DISTILLERY CO.

At a called meeting of the Board of Education last evening the pupils of the seventh and eighth grades of the Fifth ward school were ordered transferred to the Intermediate Department of the High School until Prof. L. C. Grimes recovers from his illness,—the seventh grade to Miss Broshears' room and eighth grade to Miss Waller's room. Mr. Grimes will probably be able to resume his duties next Monday.

—A great many of our farmers are having their fodder shredded this fall, many of them putting it away in their barns," says the Flemingsburg Times-Democrat. "This is a step in the right direction. Every farmer should provide barn room for his stock and feed, and keep both under shelter. The saving of feed and labor together with the improved condition of the stock in the spring will amply repay the expense and in a few years leave a handsome balance on the credit side of the ledger."



MARGUERITA SYLVA IN "THE STROLLERS"

Advertised Letters.

The following is a list of letters remaining in the postoffice at Maysville, Mason County, Ky., for the week ending Wednesday, December 10th, 1902:

Armstrong, Mrs. Alice | McCullough, Mrs. Minnie
Clair, Pat | J.
Devine, Celore | Moore, Howard
Ewing, Syc | Powers, Miss Hellen
Frangie, Miss Addie | Pettit, William
Hamilton, Mrs. Julia A. | Studdin, Mary S.
Harrison, Matt | Slattery, Mrs. John
Lambert, Bert | Wanamaker, F. W.

Persons calling for any of the above will please say advertised.

CLARENCE MATHEWS, P. M.

The Court of Appeals has reversed the case of Swice's administrator against the M. and B. S. railroad company, taken up from this county. Swice died from injuries received at the coal docks east of the fair grounds.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Wanted to sell at cost of below cost to close up my business. I will in stock one fine mantel bed, one upright bed, two invalid chairs, one music cabinet, two manel cabinets, two fine mirrors, some toys, hobby horses, toy chairs and fine pictures. C. H. WHITE. 9-38

FOR SALE—One first-class Jersey milch cow. Apply at once to W. HOLTON KEY, Court street. 9-38

FOR SALE—A desirable six room residence on East Second street. Apply to PATRICK BRENNAN. 9-38

FOR RENT—A house on Limestone street. Apply to R. A. CARR. 10-67

FOR RENT—A desirable six room residence on East Second street. Apply to PATRICK BRENNAN. 9-38

It Is Well Worth Your While to Read This Little

CLOTHING TALK...

To be sure there are few people in this vicinity but what know that ours is "The" Clothing House of the State of Kentucky. The very height of perfection in tailoring has been attained in the Clothing we sell. For the holiday trade we have made sweeping reductions right through the entire line.

Our \$7.50, \$10, \$12.50 and \$15 Suits are easily worth and sold elsewhere fully 25 per cent. more. Our Overcoats range from \$6 up. Not an Overcoat in the lot that you can duplicate elsewhere for the price you buy of us. Our Overcoats represent styles you do not find in any other store. They are the productions of Stein Bloch and Adler Bros., Rochester, N. Y., the two leading custom tailor wholesale manufacturers in the world. We cannot describe their elegance. COME AND SEE THEM. In Children's and Boys' Clothing we are specially strong. It requires the stoutest of material, the most durable trimmings and strongest of tailoring to give our boys good service. WELL, THAT'S JUST THE KIND OF BOYS' CLOTHING WE SELL. Prices range from \$1.50 to \$6. It is almost needless to say that our Furnishing Goods Department is the greatest in the State. No novelties but we are at once placed in possession of. For holiday presents you will find in our house a glorious selection of Neckwear, Hose, Gloves, Shirts, Dress Suit Cases, etc.

Our W. L. Douglas and Hanan Shoes have sprung into such popular favor that it has made our Shoe Department the mecca of all that want GOOD Shoes. Every pair warranted.

D. HECHINGER & CO.,

THE HOME STORE.

GLOVES Are Very Acceptable!

For holiday gifts, and we are it when it comes to Gloves. "Adlers" you know are the top notchers among Gloves. We have everything in Gloves from the fine grey and tan "Argons" at \$1.50, to the less expensive 25c.

Any Trunk bought of us during the holidays we put your address on free.

GEORGE H. FRANK & CO.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE
We are authorized to announce FRANK P. O'DONNELL as a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce JAMES F. HARBISON a candidate for Circuit Judge, subject to the Democratic convention at Vanceburg February 25, 1903.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.

We are authorized to announce JOSEPH F. WALTON, of Germantown, as a candidate for Representative in the next Legislature, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

WANTED.

WANTED—Furs. Now is the time to bring in furs for which I will pay Eastern market prices. B. ZEFF, 38 to 42 East Front street, opposite ferry landing. 8-32d

NOTICE—Charles Wedding, the tailor, has removed to a building formerly occupied by the parochial school on Second street, just east of the Keith-Schroeder harness factory. Prompt attention to all orders. 6-31

EGGS AND POULTRY WANTED—Eggs you sell for will bring in highest and fair. The first one to bring this adv to Wells & Armitage as it is written in their house will receive one dollar. WELLS & ARMITAGE 5-1w

FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—A house on Limestone street. Apply to R. A. CARR. 10-67

FOR RENT—A desirable six room residence on East Second street. Apply to PATRICK BRENNAN. 9-38

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THE BEE HIVE

January Fashion Sheets Free!

15c. For January Delineator!

The Only Christmas Store in Maysville

Do your shopping now while we can serve you best. Remember the last few days are all rush at the Bee Hive and our attention cannot be at its best. Whether you intend giving useful articles in the Dry Goods line or fancy ornaments, you will find the selection largest and prices lowest here.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

The largest collection we have ever shown. More handkerchiefs than all of Mason County combined. Starting with 5c. in Ladies' and Men's plain initial and children's "Foxy Grandpa" handkerchiefs we run the assortment up to 69c., which is usually the \$1 kind.

NECKWEAR.

25c. and 50c. for men the kind that most stores ask 45c. and 75c. during Christmas times. For Ladies we start with the little turnover 15c. and run right up to \$2.50, but of course the styles we show from 75c. up are styles that only WE are guilty of keeping. A hundred styles are not too many at Xmas time.

LEATHER GOODS.

Starting with the wee-wee pocketbook at 3c., we have the greatest display of pocketbooks and wrist-bags in town, and what finer present could you make than just from this department?

AND THE 25 CENT TABLE IS THE TALK OF THE TOWN.

MERZ BROS.

DEEP CUT!

The Prices on the Entire Stock
at the Smith & Nixon Piano Co.'s Special
Piano Sale.

Our store has been crowded with visitors the past two evenings, among whom were some of Maysville's best musicians who expressed their admiration and delight at the beautiful quality of tone and exquisite case designs of our sample pianos. Many prospective buyers called during the day and looked into the merits of our pianos.

We mean what we say. You can buy a high or medium grade piano at wholesale prices (which means as low as dealers buy them) during the next ten days only. Cutting prices will sell these samples so don't delay, but call to-night.

Jno. O'Keefe opens holiday goods this week at his new store two doors below his old stand.

Books are now open for stock in the seventeenth series of People's Building Association. Call on J. E. Threlkeld, Secretary, Jno. Duley, Treasurer, or any of the directors.

Miss Nellie Greenhow was united in marriage Wednesday afternoon at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Greenhow, of Ripley, to Mr. Thomas Byar, of Bracken County. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. T. Green, pastor of the Presbyterian Church. Their home will be at Chatham.

Ray's stock of toilet sets is complete.

New currants, citron, raisins—Calhoun's.

See nice lot of lamps at Schatzmann's.

Buy a piano of reputation from Gerbrich.

Maysville pictured on china at Schatzmann's.

Jno. O'Keefe is located in his new store, two doors below old stand on Market street.

Col. A. J. Lovely, of Paris, has entered the home for Confederate veterans at Pewee valley.

The Misses Walsh entertained the Epworth League of the M. E. Church last evening at their hospitable home on East Second street.

Mr. John M. Shepard of Jo. Heiser Post of this city has been appointed Aide-de-Camp on the staff of the Commander in Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

The Park Lake Outing Association has been organized at Flemingsburg with a capital of \$5,000 to construct a park and artificial lake for fishing purposes. There are some ideal points in Mason County for such lakes, and it is singular that more of them are not built and stocked with fine fish.

Rev. Mr. Shepard's congregations, both prayer services and on Sundays, are ever and anon increased in interest by traveling men participating in the services. It may not be generally known that there has been a new order started in the Northwest of religiously-inclined traveling men which has eliminated from this calling many of the undesirable parties who at one time were then engaged.

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The Holiday Season

Finds us in the front rank as shoemakers. Our phenomenal business proves that our efforts to supply our patrons with GOOD footware is appreciated. No such diversity in any part of the wardrobe is so necessary as shoes. Fashion's latest decree in foot-coverings will be found here. All leathers of established worth and every good feature known to high art shoe-making finds representation in our stock.

While Christmas Shopping,

Stop and look in our windows. You will find exclusive lines on display there—goods such as only WE carry. Note the variety of styles—the character in the designs—the fine finish. Step inside and examine these shoes. Satisfy yourself that they are as represented. When you have inspected our line to your satisfaction no persuasion will be needed to win you for a customer.

BARKLEY'S

LANGDON'S

Fresh Roast Coffee

Imported from the plantation and roasted in our big coffee roaster in Cincinnati. Our Araby blend is 25c. a pound, our Crown Mixture is 20c. a pound, our Hacienda is 18c. a pound, our French Breakfast is 15c. a pound, our old Rio is 12½c. a pound, Langdon Rio is 11c. a pound. Other grades of Rio 10 and 8½c. per pound. Kept in air tight boxes to preserve the flavor. One pound of our coffee will make you our customer for life. Prices away below others.

THE LANGDON-CREASY CO.

When you have eaten a piece of every kind of candy you have ever seen, no matter what price you have paid—even 80 cents per pound—then eat one piece of

TRAXEL'S Perfection Chocolate

CARAMELS

and you will decide it is the best piece of candy you have ever tasted.

Our

Christmas Goods

Are by far the best we have ever shown (so say the people.) Books, Pictures, Mirrors, Toys, Kodaks, Dolls, Imported Vases. See bargain tables.

Musical Instrument at cut-prices.

Our beautiful Music Box will make a handsome Christmas Gift.

Open at night.

J. T. Kackley & Co.

Have some of our new \$3 per dozen Photographs taken. A Sepia Portrait made of father or mother. They are the best.

KACKLEY & CO.

TOBACCO FAIR.

Committee Appointed to Solicit Funds to Defray Expenses—Premium For Cigarette Leaf Increased.

At the meeting of the Board of Trade last evening the following committee was appointed to solicit funds to defray the expenses of the approaching tobacco fair: Wm. H. Means, Mayor Stallecup, James W. Fitzgerald, J. Barbour Russell, Millard Merz, John M. Hunt and Maurice Coughlin. The committee started work this morning.

It was also decided to increase the premiums on cigarette leaf, and they were fixed at \$50, \$25, \$10 and \$5.

Our holiday goods are up to the minute in their novelty. No one in our line is showing such strictly new goods as we are showing this year. Our prices, "quality considered," are lower than any other dealer. Call and let us show you our new goods. MURPHY, the Jeweler.

THE RACKET

Christmas shoppers will find us ready with a choice line of holiday goods. Come early while our lines are complete and get choice selections of Dolls, Toys, Books, Games, tree ornaments and a splendid assortment of fancy China. Some special values in Medallions, Books and fancy cloth, and just the right thing for an inexpensive and useful present.

Don't forget that we are headquarters for sea-sonable staple goods. Gloves and Mittens for all classes and all ages, and at prices ranging from 10c. to \$1. Men, don't fail to see our special 10c. Canvas Gloves and Mittens, something you're sure to want. Underwear, Hosiery, Towels, Oil-cloth, Ladies' Fascinators, Pocket and Table Cutlery, and all kinds of Notions.

Bring the children in to see our TOY display; no trouble to show them around and we study to please. Everything cheap at The Racket.

L. H. YOUNG & CO.,

48 West Second Street.

MAYSVILLE, KY.

River News.

Keystone State for Pittsburgh, Gould for Portsmouth and Indiana for Pomeroy to-night. Down, Lizzie Bay.

This warm spell ought to insure a good rise at headwaters and a coalboat stage.

Special prices on pianos at Gerbrich's store.

John R. Faulkner, son of George Faulkner, of Fleming, and Miss Anetta Delaney, of Pilot View, Clark County, were married at the home of the bride Wednesday, after which they came to Flemingsburg for a visit to the groom's father and later go to Augusta to take up their future home.

HEATERS!

SPECIAL PRICES.

W. F. POWER'S.

BIG BARGAIN WEEK

At the New York Store of Hays & Co.,
Beginning Monday, Dec. 8.

No need to wait for reductions on winter goods until after Christmas, we make them now. Blankets, Comforts, Ladies' and Children's wraps, Ladies' and Misses' Underwear at much less than at other places. This space is too small to enumerate prices on every article. Come and see; you will not regret it.

HAYS & CO.

NEW YORK STORE.

P. S.—As long as they last, twenty-five pieces good heavy suitings 4½c. a yard, best Apron Gingham 5c., very heavy Brown Cotton 4c., and don't forget to see the biggest display of

FASCINATORS and FINE SHAWLS

ever seen in Maysville. Prices 15c. on up. See our 50c. Shawls worth \$1. One hundred dozen ladies' very heavy Fleeced Hose 10c., regular 15c. quality.

